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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Dennis Colleran et al.  
Serial No. : 09/986,376  
Filed : November 8, 2001  
Title : TISSUE REPAIR SYSTEM

Art Unit : 3731  
Examiner : Sarah K. Webb

Commissioner for Patents  
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND PETITION FOR AUTOMATIC EXTENSION

Correspondence relating to this application is enclosed. The required fees are computed below. Please apply any charges not covered, or any credits, to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Total Claims	32	-	24	=	8	\$144
Independent	4	-	4	=	0	\$0
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims						\$0

Applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for a 1 month extension of time.

\$110

TOTAL FEE DUE

\$254

Checks for \$144 and \$110 are attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Date:

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